

**Remarks**

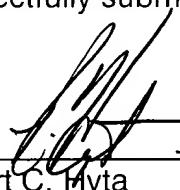
New claim 104 has been added and claims 91-103 have been allowed.

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Application is being filed in an abundance of caution to ensure resolution of the 37 CFR 1.47(b) Petition currently pending before the office. Applicant request the office forego issuance of a subsequent Notice of Allowance until the Petition is granted.

The Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned if the Examiner believes such would facilitate prosecution of the present application. The undersigned is available for telephone consultation at any time during normal business hours (Pacific Standard Time).

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 7/7/06

By: 

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